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SUBMISSION OF EXECUTED DECLARATIONAssistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In accordance with the NOTICE OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS dated March 06, 2001 (copy enclosed) for the above identified application, Applicant submits herewith a duly executed Declaration together with a check in the late filing fee of \$130. Acknowledgement of the receipt of the above identified Declaration is respectfully requested. The Patent Office is authorized to charge any necessary fees to Deposit Account No. 19-4880 in order to keep the above identified application in force. A duplicate copy of this Paper is attached.

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**NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

- The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as
  - ☐ a Designated Office (37 CFR 1.494),
  - ☒ an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):
  - ☒ U.S. Basic National Fee.
  - ☒ Copy of the international application in:
    - ☐ a non-English language.
    - ☒ English.
  - ☐ Translation of the international application into English.
  - ☐ Oath or Declaration of inventor(s) for DO/EO/US.
  - ☐ Copy of Article 19 amendments.
  - ☐ Translation of Article 19 amendments into English.
  - ☐ The International Preliminary Examination Report in English and its Annexes, if any.
  - ☐ Translation of Annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report into English.
  - ☒ Preliminary amendment(s) filed 8 dec 2000 and
  - ☐ Information Disclosure Statement(s) filed  and
  - ☐ Assignment document.
  - ☐ Power of Attorney and/or Change of Address.
  - ☐ Substitute specification filed
  - ☐ Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status.
  - ☐ Priority Document.
  - ☒ Copy of the International Search Report ☐ and copies of the references cited therein.
  - ☐ Other:
- The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:
  - ☐ a. Translation of the application into English. Note a processing fee will be required if submitted later than the appropriate 20 or 30 months from the priority date.
    - ☐ The current translation is defective for the reasons indicated on the attached Notice of Defective Translation.
  - ☐ b. Processing fee for providing the translation of the application and/or the Annexes later than the appropriate 20 or 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).
  - ☒ c. Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the international application number and international filing date.
    - ☐ The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) for the reasons indicated on the attached PCT/DO/EO/917.
  - ☒ d. Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than the appropriate 20 or 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)).
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**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH IN 2(a)-2(d) AND 3 ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN ONE MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY ☐ 21 OR ☐ 31 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

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- ☐ The Article 19 amendments are cancelled since a translation was not provided by the appropriate 20 (37 CFR 1.494(d)) or 30 (37 CFR 1.495(d)) months from the priority date.